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TAGS: EIND, EMIN, CA

SUBJ: POTASH: SASKATCHEWAN MOVES AGAINST POTASH

INDUSTRY

**REF: STATE 295782** 

WE ADVISED FETT IN MFA OFFICE FOR BILATERAL WESTERN ECONOMIC RELATIONS OF US DEMARCHE TO GOC. FETT TOLD US THAT MFA WAS INFORMED ABOUT EXPROPRIATION THREAT AND WAS FOLLOWING SITUATION CLOSELY. AT THIS POINT ALWINSAL POTASH HAS NOT ASKED FOR ASSISTANCE, NOR TO FRG KNOWLEDGE HAS ALWINSAL BEEN APPROACHED BY SASKATCHEWAN GOVERNMENT. THEREFORE FRG DOES NOT YET HAVE ANY GROUNDS FOR MAKING DEMARCHE. AT SUCH TIME AS THE CANADIANS SIGNAL THEIR INTENT TO PURCHASE OR EXPROPRIATE ALWINSAL, FETT THOUGHT IT LIKELY THAT FRG LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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WOULD DECIDE TO TAKE SOME KIND OF ACTION. IN THAT

CASE, HE OFFERED TO INFORM EMBASSY OF ACTION CONTEMPLATED, AND EXPRESSED INTEREST IN COORDINATING FRG RESPONSE WITH US STANCE.

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